

Prayer Concerns

Let us know how we can pray for you. Call the office 303-776-8771.
† Please note that blue indicates a new prayer request or a change in one.

- † Timmy Knipscheer-suffered a seizure due to viral infection on December 25. Prayers of thanksgiving that he is recovering well.
- † Bob Rocho-requires back therapy after virus created severe back pain.
- † Bob Kaiser-recovering from a heart stent procedure on December 22.
- † Cork Billings-recovering from bypass surgery on December 19.
- † Peggy McDonald- recovering from foot surgery on December 17.
- † Raegan Courtemache-age 12, had surgery December 16 on her right hip, both knees, and her right foot to correct some improper bone growth. Mom is Kristianna Vedvik, and older sister is Reiley.
- † Alice Cuba-recovering at home from surgery on December 16.
- † John & Crystal Buck-praise to God for a healthy son, Wyatt Ryan, born December 15.
- † Mae Katschke-recovering from foot surgery on December 15.
- † Julie Zumhofe-recovering from knee replacement surgery at LUH on December 14.
- † For those in our FCLC family-who have lost jobs.
- † Jon Prout, Eric Smith, Zack Morton, Brandon Lockwood, Ian McCormick, Matthew Parker, Jared Adams, Chris Hassa, Robb Kammerzell, Brent Davis, Ryan Moore, Ramee Oppenude: FCLC members and relatives of members in US military forces: for God’s protection; strength for body, mind, and soul.
- † Matt Brents-in Iraq on a one-year civilian contract: for his safety and God’s peace.

The following families who are battling cancer and its effects:

- † Judy Heller-ongoing chemotherapy every three weeks.
- † Ken Lowry-CAT scan shows that the tumors have shrunk; praise & thanksgiving.
- † Jeff & Kim Bonds family-Jeff’s brother, Jerry, battling Multiple Myeloma.
- † Kathy Cook-for strength and peace for her mother, Eilene, who has lung cancer.
- † Sharon Kirby-Cole-her son, DJ, battling terminal cancer.

Prayer-chain-If you would like to join the prayer-chain or if you have a prayer request, please contact us at prayer-chain@fclc.org. You must subscribe to the prayer-chain **before** you can post your own prayer requests.
If you do not belong to the prayer-chain and have a prayer concern, please call the church office at 303-776-8771 or Marsha Tollefson at 303-651-2354, and your prayer request will be posted.

The Week Ahead at FCLC

For updated info: www.fclc.org, click Calendar button

Sunday, January 3
8:45 AM WORSHIP
10:00 AM - 11:00 AM NO Sunday School
11:15 AM WORSHIP
5:30 PM - 7:00 PM Cleaners

Monday, January 4

Tuesday, January 5
12:30 PM - 1:15 PM "Office" Staff Meeting
1:30 PM - 2:30 PM Staff Meeting
4:00 PM - 5:30 PM Girl Scouts - Troop 2081
6:30 PM - 8:30 PM Boy Scouts
7:00 PM - 8:30 PM Executive Committee

Wednesday, January 6
8:30 AM - 11:00 AM Library Book Shelving
7:15 PM - 8:30 PM Choir Rehearsal
8:30 PM - 10:00 PM Cleaners



Thursday, January 7
9:30 AM - 11:00 AM Women's Bible Study
9:30 AM - 11:00 AM Women's Bible Study "Gospel of John"
4:00 PM - 5:30 PM Girl Scout Troop 203
6:30 PM - 9:30 PM Centro Cristiano
7:00 PM - 8:30 PM Longmont Chorale Music Committee
7:00 PM - 8:00 PM Worship Team

Friday, January 8
9:30 AM - 12:00 PM Sylvan Meeting
6:30 PM - 8:15 PM WACKY Potluck

Saturday, January 9
5:30 PM - 6:15 PM WORSHIP
7:30 PM - 9:30 PM Cleaners

Sunday, January 10
8:45 AM WORSHIP
10:00 AM - 11:00 AM Sunday School
11:15 AM WORSHIP
12:20 PM Annual Meeting
2:00 PM - 6:00 PM Centro Cristiano
5:30 PM - 7:00 PM Cleaners



The Celebration of Worship
at Faith Community Lutheran

Before worship, talk to God. During worship, let God talk to you.
After worship, talk to your fellow worshiper.

Here at Faith Community Lutheran...We almost always follow the traditional order of worship familiar to most Lutherans, but usually our services are a "blend" of old and new music. As Lutherans, we view ourselves as a church of "Word & Sacrament." Therefore, "God's Word" is held in high esteem as we follow lessons and sermon with our Bibles open. FCLC is among a growing number of Lutheran Churches committed to celebrating the Sacrament of Holy Communion every week.

Gathering

Gathering Music Time for Prayer and Meditation
Welcome Pastor Dan Hansen
Opening Hymn "Light of the World"
Apostolic Greeting, Confession & Forgiveness
Song of Praise "Angels We Have Heard on High"
Prayer of the Day

Word

First Lesson Jeremiah 31: 7-14 p1133
Psalm 147 12-20 p894
Second Lesson Ephesians 1:3-14 p1676
Gospel Verse "Ancient Words"
The Holy Gospel John 1:10-18 p1538
The Hand of Peace We invite you to learn new names.
† **Children's Message** Nanette Goings
The Sermon "Praise God" Ed Broestl
Hymn of Response "I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light"
Statement of Faith Apostles' Creed
Tithes & Offerings Bob Goings, Piano
Offertory: "What Can I Give Him?"
Prayers Worshipers are invited to share their prayers.

Meal

Words of Institution The Lord's Prayer
Sacrament of Holy Communion
"The King of Love My Shepherd Is;" "One Bread, One Body;"
"Jesus, Draw Me Close;" "Heart of Worship;"
"You are My All in All;" "Change my Heart, O God"

Sending

Post-Communion Blessing
Closing Hymn "We Will Worship Him"
Dismissal "Go in Peace, Serve the Lord..."
† **Sunday Only**

If you desire prayer support, two Stephen Ministers
will be available at the front of the Sanctuary.



Confirmation students:

How have you seen God provide comfort and joy? How did you respond in the midst of that experience?



We welcome little children as we worship! In respect for others, you may bring your restless child(ren) to our well-equipped, staffed nursery during the service. Our speaker system provides excellent audio of the service in the Narthex and nursery.
-Thank you

Worship Services

Saturday 5:30 PM
Sunday 8:45 AM & 11:15 AM

Christian Education

Sunday School for all ages
10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

Office Hours

Monday - Friday 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM
(Closed 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM)

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Christmas 2
January 2 & 3, 2010

Welcome, Guests!

We are grateful that you have remembered the Sabbath to keep it holy.

Our One and Only

"The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us. We have seen His Glory, the glory of THE One and Only, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth." - John 1:14
Although we are still in the season of the "12 days of Christmas" between Christmas day and January 6th, for most of us, our Christmas and New Year celebrations are over for another year and life returns again to ordinary days. But are these really ordinary days when we have our One and Only, Jesus, dwelling among us and living in our hearts? With Jesus in our hearts and dwelling among us, we have Christmas every day! The word Christmas is from Christ, the anointed one, and mas. Mas from mass meaning Eucharistic celebration and also dismissal or mission. Our mission should be to celebrate Christ every day and let Him fill our hearts. The word mas in Spanish means more...so perhaps we can also think of the true gift of Christmas as more of Christ in our hearts every day.

Jesus is truly our One and Only. As the Word tells us in Ephesians 1:3-14, through Him we are called as children of God and the Father sees us as holy and blameless. He chose us before the creation of the world and we are His beloved children. He equips us with spiritual gifts to serve Him and others. In Jeremiah 31: 9-10, we are reminded how the Shepherd will gather us and watch over us leading us beside streams of water and along level paths. He cares for us and gives us all that we need. He keeps us from harm and fills us with the true peace that can only be found by knowing Him, our dear Jesus...our One and Only.

As we begin another week, let us continue to celebrate Christmas every day, remembering that we have received the greatest gift of all...Jesus! He is truly our One and Only...everything else is just details!

Let us pray: Dear Jesus, you are truly my One and Only. Help me to remember to celebrate you and live righteously each day so that You may be glorified. You provide all that I need and equip me for serving you. Fill my heart with your love and your peace so that I may serve you better reflecting your Light to the world. Fill me to overflowing with your Spirit so that there is more of you and much less of me. Amen.
For His Glory - Gloria Borchers

The mission Christ gave to all churches...
"Go therefore and make disciples of all nations..."
--Matthew 28:19



Scriptures for January 10, 2010:

First Lesson: Isaiah 43:1-7 **Second Lesson:** Acts 8:14-17
Psalms: 29 **Holy Gospel:** Luke 3:15-22

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Weekend Worship Servants – January 2nd & 3rd, 2010

	Sat 5:30 PM	8:45 AM	11:15 AM
Greeters	Mike and Lisa Smith	Peggy McDonald Linda Kepler	Ewald and Kathe Schelert
Head Ushers	Mike and Lisa Smith	Paul & Natalie James Ed & Ethel Owens	Gordy Wallace
Ushers		The Krantz Men	Jeff Bladt Mark Flowers
Lectors	Lisa Smith	Diane Broestl	Jody McClurkin
Communion Prep	Mike and Lisa Smith	Ed and Ethel Owen	
Communion CleanUp	Mike and Lisa Smith	Debbie Austin	
Communion Assist	Mike and Lisa Smith	Joel & Joan Schell Marv & Joyce Heimbichner	Brad and Geena Steele Debbie Austin Jere Griffiths
Children's Church Assistant	---	---	Mary Konicek David K. and Zach V.
Acolyte	---	Michael Chaney	Elisabeth Phelan
Nursery	---	Laurel and Jenna Schemmel	Andrea and Camilla Lee
Sound	Mike Rosenstein	Mike Rosenstein	Mike Rosenstein
VPU	Steve Hansen	Stacia Keller	Stacia Keller
Office Volunteer	Stacia Keller		

Worship Attendance Week 52 December 26 th and 27 th			Treasurer's Report through 11/30/09			
	2009	2008	2009	2008	2007	
Sat 5:30	68	36	Budget YTD	\$819,289	\$738,490	\$651,591
Sun 8:45	194	156	General Offering YTD	\$711,101	\$660,920	\$553,683
Sun 11:15	169	194	Expenses YTD	\$695,827	\$657,580	\$565,736
Total	431	386	Needed per week	\$17,187	\$14,438	\$13,376
2009 Average Attendance to date:	535		Received per week	\$14,815	\$13,769	\$11,535
2008 Average Attendance to date:	519					

Do you know someone... who is going through a difficult time? Are you struggling with the loss of a loved one, loneliness, cancer, a lay-off, divorce, spiritual crisis, recuperation, or depression?



Our Stephen Ministers can provide the support you need. Talk with one of our Stephen Leaders: Julie Baas at 303-772-4995 or Janet Streed at 970-785-2332. It's distinctively Christian. It's confidential. It's a great way for us to show you how much we care!

Please let us know if you'd like prayers & anointing with oil after worship. This can be arranged on short notice!! Just tell Pastor Dan.

Mission Possible: Lenten Devotional

Now is the time to volunteer to write a devotion! We need writers for the 46 devotions to be included in FCLC's own Lenten Devotional. Sign up by [this Sunday, January 3rd](#) to write a devotion or two. As in the past, scripture passages and writing guidelines are provided. Please contact Nanette at nanette@fcl.org if you are interested in helping out.

Annual Meeting

Please plan to join us at the Annual Meeting on January 10th, 2010 starting at 12:20 PM (immediately following the 11:15 AM service). The meeting will be held in the Fellowship Hall. Cookies and coffee will be served.

Confirmation and WNL Resumes

January 13th

6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

Please join us for Wednesday Night Dinners beginning at 5:30 PM!

Sunday School Resumes

January 10th

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

Leap of Faith Worship Team Rehearsal Schedule for January:

LOF band only

January 14th, 21st, and 28th
6:00 PM - 7:00 PM

LOF vocal rehearsal

January 24th and 31st
6:30 PM

Adult Choir Rehearsals

Rehearsal for the Adult Choir for 2010 begins January 6th at 7:15 PM in the Sunrise Room. NEW MEMBERS are always welcome! Thanks! - Dawn

Staff and Council Retreat

The church staff and council will be on retreat at the Highlands Ranch Presbyterian Retreat Center from Friday, January 22nd at 5:00 PM through Saturday, January 23rd at 2:00 PM.

2010 Census Takers - Jobs Available!

The US Census Bureau has asked Faith to let the members of our congregation know that they are looking for part-time employees to help with the 2010 census. If you are interested in this opportunity or know someone who may be interested, please take "the 2010 Census Job Application Information" found in the Narthex or the Church Office. You may also visit their website at www.2010censusjobs.gov.

Scrapbooking and MORE Club

Friday, January 29th

Sunrise Room 226

6:00 PM

Please note that this is a *change* from the originally scheduled date! All are welcome! You do not have to scrapbook to join these ladies—just bring your favorite hobby and come for the fun!

Contact: Carrie.Hostetter@gmail.com



Thank you to the 30 members who donated blood on Sunday, December 27th! FCLC saved or enhanced 90 lives! - Mary Konicek

WACKY Potluck and Program:

"From Hubble to James Webb:
NASA's Great Observatories"

Friday, January 8th, 6:30 PM, Fellowship Hall

- A-K please bring a main dish
- L-Z please bring a salad or dessert

We have an exciting program planned for this event. Our speaker will be Mark Bergeland, who is the Director of the James Webb Space Telescope program at Ball Aerospace in Boulder. The title of the presentation: "From Hubble to James Webb: NASA's Great Observatories." Mark will give an overview of Ball's extensive involvement in the development of the Hubble and James Webb Space Telescopes.

Please enter through the west doors. See you there!

WACKY is a group of folks who are Without Any Children, Kids or Youth at home. We meet quarterly for a potluck dinner and entertainment.



Lutheran Family Services Fundraising Concert

Friday, February 26th at 8:00 PM featuring

Amy Grant at The Paramount Theatre, 1621 Glenarm Place, Denver, 80202.

Tickets to this fundraising event may be purchased in any of these methods:

1. Via the Web: www.lfsc.org OR
2. Call 1-866-461-6556 OR
3. Stop by The Paramount Box Office, Pepsi Center, or
4. Dick's Sporting Goods Park
5. Ticket Prices range from \$40 to \$150.

There are limited tickets available for \$150 which also includes a dessert reception with Amy Grant.

New Bulletin and Newsletter Format in 2010!!!

In an effort to be "green," we are going to try a new bulletin and newsletter format beginning January 23rd and 24th.

We will simplify the bulletin so that it will only include the Order of Worship, Prayer Requests and the Devotional. Please note that there will be no announcements printed in the bulletin!

To offset this bulletin change, the Faith Communicator Newsletter will be published every other week. The Communicator will continue to be available electronically but will only be mailed to shut-ins. Those who receive the Communicator electronically will continue to be notified via email when it is available on the website. If you do have access to the Web, we would like to encourage you to help us in our effort to be green and let us know if we can send it to you electronically.

There will also be hard copies available at the Welcome Center for those who do not have access to the Web and for our visitors.

Additionally, we plan to send out the "Faith Quarterly Communicator" four times a year (Lent/Easter, Summer, Fall, Advent/Christmas) via the US Postal Service. The purpose of this publication is to let us know more about the upcoming season. This publication will be in a more general format without a lot of detail.

Announcements (where applicable) will continue to be sent out on "FCLCnews." Sometime early this year, we will install a monitor behind the Welcome Center that continually rotates current announcements.

If you have any questions or comments about this new format, please contact Diana at Diana@fcl.org or call her at the church office at 303-776-8771.

